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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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EASTMED SHIPPING & INTERNATIONAL :  
SERVICES, S.A.E., : 07 Civ. 3327(DC)  
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Plaintiff, : **RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**  
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-against- :  
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AL SHARK FOR TRADE AND DISTRIBUTION, :  
a.k.a. AL SHARK CO., a.k.a. EL SHARK :  
CO., a.k.a. EL SHARK FOR TRADING, :  
a.k.a. EL SHROUK FOR FOOD INDUSTRIES, :  
a.k.a. EL SHARK FOR TRADE & :  
DISTRIBUTION, EL GEBALY FOR FOOD :  
INDUSTRIES CO., a.k.a. EL GEBALY CO., :  
a.k.a. EL GEBALY FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT :  
and AL EMAN COMPANY FOR IMPORT AND :  
EXPORT, a.k.a. EL EMAN CO., a.k.a. EL :  
EMAN CO. FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT, a.k.a. :  
EL EMAN CO., a.k.a. EL EMAN FOR IMPORT :  
AND EXPORT, :  
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Defendants. :  
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Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1  
[formerly Local General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges  
and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible  
disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for  
defendant, EL EMAN CO. FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT (a private non-  
governmental party), certifies that there are no corporate

parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party which are publicly held.

Dated: New York, New York  
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